

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C. 20463

April 23, 1998

Bob Mayzes, Treasurer Georgia Republicans 5600 Roswell Road, Suite 200 Atlanta, GA 30342

Identification Number: C00150672

Reference: Amended Mid-Year (1/1/97-6/30/97 dated 12/18/97), Year End (7/1/97-

12/31/97) and Amended Year End (7/1/97-12/31/97 dated 1/30/98) Reports

Dear Mr. Mayzes:

This letter is to inform you that as of April 22, 1998, the Commission has not received your response to our requests for additional information dated April 1, 1998. These notices request information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. To ensure compliance with the provisions of the Federal Election Campaign Act (the Act), please respond to these requests (copies enclosed).

The Commission notes the written approval from Long, Aldridge & Norman PAC, dated April 10, 1998. The PAC instructs your committee to transfer to a nonfederal account the impermissible funds received from it. You still need to address the receipts from the other unregistered organizations; as well as, the other questions raised in the Commission's letters (copies enclosed).

If no response is received within fifteen (15) days from the date of this notice, the Commission may choose to initiate audit or legal enforcement action.

If you should have any questions regarding this matter, please contact Melissa Hurd on our toll-free number (800) 424-9530 or our local number (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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Amended Mid-Year Report (1/1/97-6/30/97) dated 12/18/97

Dear Mr. Mayzes:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Line 11(c) of the Detailed Summary Page of your report discloses a total of \$8,150 in contributions from other political committees. The sum of the entries itemized on Schedule A, however, indicates the total to be \$62,845. Please amend your report to clarify the discrepancy.

-Schedule A of your report (pertinent portion(s) attached) discloses a contribution(s) from an organization(s) which is not a political committee registered with the Commission. In order for your committee to accept contributions from unregistered organizations into accounts used to influence federal elections, your committee should take steps to insure that the contributor(s) used permissible funds to make the contribution(s) to avoid violating 2 U.S.C. §§441a(f) and 441b or 11 CFR §102.5(b). Under 11 CFR §102.5(b), organizations which are not political committees under the Act and choose to contribute to federal committees must either: 1) establish a separate account which contains only those funds permitted under the Act, or 2) demonstrate through a reasonable accounting method that the organization has received sufficient funds subject to the limitations and prohibitions in order to make the contribution.

If the contribution(s) in question was incompletely or incorrectly disclosed, you should amend your original report with clarifying information. In